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Docket No.: 61769(45107)
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Frank-Christophe Lintz et al.

Application No.: 10/517,910

Confirmation No.: N/A

Filed: December 8, 2005

Art Unit: 1615

For: WET GRANULATION PROCESS

Examiner: Not Yet Assigned

**LETTER ACCOMPANYING FEE TRANSMITTAL
AND REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant has received the Official Filing Receipt for the above-referenced application (annotated copy enclosed). The Filing Receipts erroneously indicates that the above application is entitled to "Small Entity Status". The Filing Receipts also indicates that a filing fee of \$725 was received for the 371 filing.

It is respectfully submitted that no declaration of "Small Entity Status" has been made in this case and the listing of such on the Filing Receipt is incorrect. It is also respectfully requested that the balance of fees properly due for a Large Entity be charged to the undersigned firm's deposit account (Deposit Account No. 04-1105). The attached Fee Transmittal is submitted in order to authorize the charge to that deposit account of an additional amount of \$725.00 to bring the total filing fees up to those due for a large entity (\$1,450).

It is further respectfully requested that a Corrected Filing Receipt then be issued to reflect Applicant's status as a Large Entity and to confirm receipt of the proper large entity filing fee of \$1,450.

The Director is also hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 04-1105, under Order No. 61769(45107). A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

Dated: January 4, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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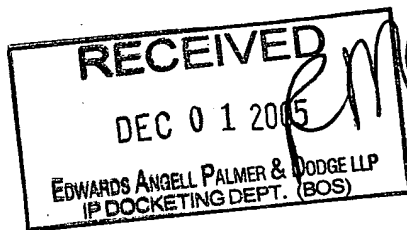


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LARGE ENTITY

Title

Wet granulation process

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	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		
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Application Type	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Fees Paid (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							
Fee Description							Small Entity
							Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							50
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							200
Multiple dependent claims							360
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Total Claims							
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